

REMARKS

Applicants will address each of the Examiner's objections and rejections in the order in which they appear in the Office Action.

Claim Objections

The Examiner has a number of objections to Claims 3, 6, 9, 12 and 25-30 for informalities therein. As Applicants have amended the claims as suggested by the Examiner, it is requested that this objection be withdrawn.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC §102

The Examiner also rejects Claims 3, 12 and 25-30 under 35 USC §102(b) as being anticipated by Shin. This rejection is respectfully traversed.

In order to advance the prosecution of this application, Claims 3, 12, 25 and 29 have been canceled herein, rendering the rejection of these claims moot. Applicants are also amending Claims 26-28 and 30 to recite that the storage capacitor wiring is completely covered by the pixel electrode. This feature is shown, for example, in Fig. 4B(II) of the present application wherein the wiring of storage capacitor 221 is completely covered by pixel electrode 207.

In contrast, in Shin, the storage capacitor electrode 2D appears to be partially covered by a pixel electrode 6.

Hence, the reference fails to disclose or suggest the claimed invention. Accordingly, it is requested that this rejection be withdrawn.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC §103

The Examiner also rejects Claims 6 and 9 under 35 USC §103 as being unpatentable over Shin in view of Lee et al. While this rejection is respectfully traversed, in order to advance the prosecution of this application, Claims 6 and 9 have been canceled. Therefore, this rejection is moot.

IDS

Applicants filed an IDS on February 4, 2003 which was received by the PTO on February 10, 2003. As this is prior to the issuance of this Office Action, it is requested that the IDS now be considered.

Conclusion

It is respectfully submitted that the present application is now in a condition for allowance.

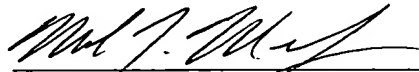
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Favorable reconsideration is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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